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### RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION AND AMENDMENT

Sir:

This is in response to the non-final Office Action dated September 25, 2006.

Claim Amendments are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.

Reconsideration is kindly requested in light of the following amendments and remarks.